

# FORM FOUR CLUSTER KCSE MODEL10

## HOME-SCIENCE PAPER 1 QUESTIONS

### SECTION A (40 Marks)

**Answer all question in this section in the spaces provided**

1. Name two categories of cooking methods. For each case, give one example.  
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2. Give two reasons why hot water is pored down the sink.  
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3. State two reasons why cotton fabric is popular for table linen. ....  
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4. List three improvised abrasives in the home.  
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5. Give three reasons for removing dirt from surfaces.  
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6. Identify four ways of preserving meat.  
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7. State three factors to consider when choosing colour scheme for a room. ....  
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8. Name three ways of disposing off refuse in the home. ....  
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9. Identify three methods of lighting rooms in the home. ....  
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10. . Give three points to bear in mind when buying land for a family house. ....  
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11. . Define First Aid.  
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12. List four soft furnishings used in the bedroom.  
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13. Give two examples of inconspicuous seams.  
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14. Identify two functions of openings on a garment.  
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15. List four favourable conditions for growth of micro-organisms in food spoilage. ....  
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**SECTION B: (20 Marks)**

**COMPULSORY Answer the question in the space provide at the end of the section**

16. You are preparing for the school's prize giving day.  
 a) Describe the method you would use to clean a varnished wooden table to be used for the occasion. (6 marks)  
 b) Give six rules you would observe when removing stains from table napkins to be used for the occasion. (6 marks)  
 c) Outline the procedure you would use when cleaning a toilet to be used by the guest of honour. (8marks)  
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**SECTION C (40 Marks)**

**Answer any two questions from this section in the spaces provided at the end of the section**

17. a) Explain five points to bear in mind when furnishing a room. (10 marks)  
 b) Discuss reasons for using soft furnishing in a room. (5 marks)  
 c) Outline five reasons why proper lighting is important in a room. (5 marks)
18. a) Define malnutrition. (2 marks)  
 b) Identify five factors that cause malnutrition and explain how each affects malnutrition.(10 marks)  
 c) Discuss four points to bear in mind while cleaning a patient's/sick room by giving reasons.( 8mks)
19. a) Explain five characteristics of a well made dart. (5 marks)  
 b) With aid of diagrams, explain how to work out an open seam. (10 marks)  
 c) Discuss five points to consider when choosing a sewing machine. (5 marks)